

## JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER AUTHORIZATIONS

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MAY 15 (legislative day, MAY 14), 1984.—Ordered to be printed

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Mr. STAFFORD, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, submitted the following

## REPORT

[To accompany S. 2547]

The Committee on Environment and Public Works, to which was referred the bill (S. 2547) authorizing appropriations to the Secretary of the Interior for services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes, having considered the same, reports favorably thereon without amendment and recommends that the bill do pass.

## PURPOSE OF THE LEGISLATION

The legislation would amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act (Public Law 85-874; 20 U.S.C. 761) to authorize appropriations in the amount of \$4,621,000 for fiscal year 1985 and such sums as are necessary for fiscal year 1986 to the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the National Park Service, to provide maintenance, security, information, interpretation, janitorial, and other services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

## BACKGROUND AND NEED FOR THE LEGISLATION

Section 10 of the Public Buildings Amendments of 1972 (Public Law 92-313) amended the John F. Kennedy Center Act stating:

The Secretary of the Interior, acting through the National Park Service, shall provide maintenance, security, information, interpretation, janitorial and all other services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

The same provision authorized funds to support such services through June 20, 1973. Congress has periodically extended the author-

ity of the 1972 amendments and authorized and appropriated funds for this purpose through fiscal year 1983.

Without additional appropriations, the Park Service cannot continue beyond September 30, 1984, to exercise the responsibility required of it by law. Without such services, the building, equipment, and grounds would deteriorate and necessitate extensive and costly repairs.

On March 23, 1984, the Department of the Interior transmitted draft legislation to extend the authorization of appropriations through fiscal year 1986.

#### HEARING

The full committee held a hearing on this measure on April 26, 1984.

#### ROLLCALL VOTES

Section 7(b) of rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate and the rules of the Committee on Environment and Public Works require that any rollcall votes be noted in this report. There were no rollcall votes taken during committee consideration of this measure. The bill was approved by voice vote.

#### COST OF THE LEGISLATION

Section 403 of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act requires that an estimate of the cost of the bill as reported be prepared by the Congressional Budget Office. That estimate follows:

U.S. CONGRESS,  
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE,  
*Washington, D.C., May 11, 1984.*

HON. ROBERT T. STAFFORD,  
*Chairman, Committee on Environment and Public Works, U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C.*

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: The Congressional Budget Office has prepared the attached cost estimate for S. 2547, a bill authorizing appropriations to the Secretary of the Interior for services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes.

If you wish further details on this estimate, we will be pleased to provide them.

Sincerely,

ERIC HANUSHEK  
(For Rudolph G. Penner, Director).

#### CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE—COST ESTIMATE

MAY 11, 1984.

1. Bill number: S. 2547.
2. Bill title: A bill authorizing appropriations to the Secretary of the Interior for services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes.

3. Bill status: As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works, May 8, 1984.

4. Bill purpose: S. 2547 authorizes fiscal year 1985 appropriations of \$4.621 million for the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. The bill also authorizes the appropriation of such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 1986. The 1985 authorization is the same as the President's budget request, and is about 2 percent above the \$4.542 million appropriated to date for fiscal year 1984.

5. Estimated cost to the Federal Government:

Authorization level:

Fiscal year:	Millions
1985 -----	\$4.6
1986 -----	4.8
1987 -----	
1988 -----	
1989 -----	

Estimated outlays:

Fiscal year:	
1985 -----	3.7
1986 -----	4.3
1987 -----	1.0
1988 -----	.4
1989 -----	

The costs of this bill fall within budget function 300.

Basis of estimate: The authorization level for fiscal year 1985 is that stated in the bill. For 1986, the authorization level is the 1985 authorization, adjusted for inflation. It is assumed that the full amounts will be appropriated prior to the beginning of each fiscal year. Outlays are estimated based on historical spending patterns for this program.

6. Estimated cost to State and local governments: None.

7. Estimate comparison: None.

8. Previous CBO estimate: None.

9. Estimate prepared by: Deb Reis.

10. Estimate approved by: C. G. Nuckols (for James L. Blum, Assistant Director for Budget Analysis).

#### EVALUATION OF REGULATORY IMPACT

In accordance with section 11(b) of rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the committee has evaluated the regulatory impact of the bill. This legislation creates no new regulatory requirements.

#### CHANGES IN EXISTING LAW

In compliance with section 12 of rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, changes in existing law made by the bill as reported are shown as follows: Existing law proposed to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets, new matter is printed in *italic*, existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman:

#### JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER ACT

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SEC. 6. (e) The Secretary of the Interior, acting through the National Park Service, shall provide maintenance, security, information, interpretation, janitorial and all other services necessary to the non-

performing arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subsection not to exceed \$2,800,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, \$741,000 for the transition period ending September 30, 1977, and \$4,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1978. There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subsection not to exceed \$4,200,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1979. There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subsection not to exceed \$4,287,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1981, and not to exceed \$4,544,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, and not to exceed \$4,247,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1983[.], and not to exceed \$4,621,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, and such sums as are necessary for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986.

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